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The Intelligencer. next County Convention has not been de finitely determined. The following items are from the St

The Democratic Nominee for the Presidency.

We ventured to express the opinion vesterday that Bristow and Thurman sere the coming men as opposing Presidential candidates this summer. The dential candidates this summer. The Cincinnati Commercial thinks Thurman is dead, but the New York Times says that there are many indications that the move-there are move-there are move-there are move-there are move-there are move-there are m the moveinst it is being pushed with vigor not ouly lut the West 'but in some of the Eastern and Southern States as well. The Times thinks that

It is too early to form an opinion of the probable ultimate result, but it is certain that no candidate yet mentioned for the Demacratic nomination commands so much strength at the present moment as he veteran Ohio Senator. He himself is prospects as here. dential candidates this summer. The

d succeed in getting the nomination West and the East did not get to reling in the Convention, in which new unknown man might be taken a compromise. This view of the Thurman. The great dread of tha leman is a compromise candidate he has done his best to make the The great dread of that s one unnecessary by reduc-irse to as near the dead lev-

The only question that is likely to divide the Democracy in the St. Louis Convention is in regard to the currency. pon this question, as the Times well says, Mr. Thurman's position has been for a

"As a candidate, he would have less seakness than any other Democrat that can be named, considered solely with reference to his availibility. He ought not to offend any faction, for he has criven hard not to do so."

Tur Steubenville Gazette thinks tha rate that contraction of the curis having a depressing effect or the price of wool this season. Buyers looking ahead and discounting the future. It is believed by some bankers mat the total amount of bank circulaion will be reduced to \$100,000,000 in he next two years. This theory is based a the belief that the banks are afraid specie resumption. We think, how ver, that this has not much weight a vement to surrender circulation is the nigh prices. They understand, that, when nercial demand for money and that this will cause withdrawals of private capital bonds and thus cause a decline in their prices. The banks are trying to avoid this loss by selling their bonds now But eventually there must also come ar turn in this movement. When bonds get low the banks will buy and deposit them again for circulation

ore American, having been nominated as a delegate-at-large to the Cincinnat Convention, has issued a significant eard setting forth his idea of the objects to be elf called upon to oppose the office destroyed the party," On this

This will swell the tide of currency after

"As a Republican, I oppose the office defenders and upholders of that element of the Republican party of the Nation which has, through personal and social relations with President Grant, used that induence for their own personal aggrand-itement, having alike deceived the Presi-dent and disrupted the party organization in several States."

In Mes Katharine Grav doesn't an ceed necuniarily in her readings, it not be for want of newspaper commend-ations. For instance, somebody out at Parnesville (Mrs. Schaffer, wife of the Bresbyterian minister at that place) writes as follows to the Zanesville Courie regarding her :

As a coversationalist, that rarest gift of fruit crop is considerably damaged; it is, Mrs. Gray surpasses any woman (or will be light. The wheat is in excellent ann) I ever met. I think I received and condition, and the prospect for a large tained more good from a three days' crop is fine. As a coversationalist, that rarees give on all, Mrs. Gray surpasses any woman (or man) I ever met. I think I received and retained more good from a three days' risit with her than in intercourse of any length with almost any other woman I have known; the charm, through all, being that with all its moods and changes, it is genuine; the soul of a true woman coming out to warm you, through many and varied avenues.

THE New York Times is hard on Here tord as the Chairman of the Committee on Commerce. It observes that under his auspices "the Ohio river" gets only \$270,000, while the "creeks and tron streams of West Virginia" gets \$495,000

OVER THE RIVER NEWS.—The Pease Township Board of Education have or dered a levy of \$1,000 to prolong school

after the educational fund is exhausted. The town Council of Martin's Ferry have ordained "that it shall hereafter ! unlawful to water any horse, mule, steer

cow, or any other animal, within ter feet of any public well in said village." Parties representing both sides were in

unference at Martin's Ferry yesterday. C. D. Kaminsky & Son, up at Rush

Clairaville Gazette ;

of any Morgan opposed the ordinance for the reason that many poor men who labor on the streets cannot afford to wait so long their certificates.

The books of the Bellaire Works stood as follows at the last meet ing of Council:

April 1, 1:73 Cash on h

Mr. Nelson called attention to the fact that the trustees of the Water Works are paying their clerk \$60 per month, while competent men are offering to do the work for \$25. He thinks an investiga-

The feeling between the editors of the St. Clairsville Chronicle and Bellaire In-dependent runs very high. So much so last Chronicle, that he did not have the editor of the Independent, on the occasion

According to the Independent, trade ly busy just now, and consequently but worth 30c, eggs 15c, potatoes 40c, oat

The new officers of the city of Bellaire

Mayor—Joel Strahi. Marshal—Wm. M. Drugan. Clerk—James M. Rees. Treasurer—E. F. Satterfield.

Solicitor—James C. Tallman. Council—M. V. Miller (President), O Blackburn, A. M. F. Boyd, A. Dunlap Charles Henry, V. T. Morgan, Anthony Moran, Robert W. Nelson, John W Sanders, Amos W. Sheppard.
Trustees of Water Works—Edward Jones, H. M. Ingler, W. D. Blackiston Clerk, H. G. Wilson.

Fruit and Crop prospects in this Region.

STEUBENVLLE, April 19.—Farmers say the early fruit is killed. The wheat, &c., in general is good. Late fruit in abund-

ZANESVILLE, April 19.—Peaches, pears and plums a quarter to half a crop. Wheat fair; excellent prospects.

CALDWELL, April 19.—Fine prospects for a good crop of wheat. Peaches are nearly all killed—a few alive in some lo-calities. Good prospects for a full crop

fruit.

ALLIANCE, April 19.—The wheat crop is not in a very favorable condition in this vicinity; in some places it may yield an average crop, in others scarcely oncourth of a crop. The fruit is thought to be injured some, but to what extent is

DENNISON, April 19.-As far as can be ascertained, the prospects are favorable for a crop of wheat a little above the av-erage. The fruit crop is far below, ex-cept apples, of which a fair crop is

CLEVELAND, April 19.—Advices at inspectors, commissioners, superintend hand from Ashtabula, Cuyahoga, Summit, Lorain and Geauga counties report the wheat frozen out in low lands and in Mr. Hunton moved an amendment al-The indications are that fruits will do well, except peaches. Inst fruits will do well, except peaches,
WEST ALEXANDER, PA., April 19.—It
is thought the peaches are not all killed.
Fair prospects for apples. The crops
will be fair, although damaged by the
late rains and frosts.

WAYNESBURG, Pa., April 19.—The

WASHINGTON, WASHINGTON, Co., April 19.—The early fruits are somewhat damaged. Wheat but slightly injured, prospects of a fine crop.

NEWARE, LICEING Co., April 19.—The reports we get about the wheat crop and fruit are very unsatisfactory so far. Peaches and early fruit killed.

Mansfield, April 19.—Peaches and the early varieties of other fruits are all killed; prospects fair for all late fruits. Wheat promises a full average crop.

MARIETTA, April 19.—Wheat—Indica-ions are good, with very fair prospects of good crop. Apples promises fair. Peaches killed. All smaller fruits killed.

IRONTON, LAWRENCE Co., April 19 .-IRONTON, LAWRENCE Co., April 19.—
The condition of the wheat crop is good.
Wheat was somewhat damaged by the
last cold weather, but still promises an
average crop. The prospects for fruit are
not flattering, as the peaches are killed;
also early varieties of apples. Winter
apples are safe yet, and promise an abundant crop.

METHOD TO FOLLOW IN THE PURSUIT There is talk of leasing the Ohio City of TRUTH.—So far from following the Nail Mill to the Benwood Iron Works, old plan of searching for Truth in the records of the past, the first essential is to wean ourselves from all such associa-tions, and beginning the acquisition of conference at Martin's Ferry yesterday.

C. D. Kaminsky & Son, up at Rush Sin (on the C. & P.), are enterprising advertisers in the new paper established over at Smithfield. Here is the way they quote their prices to the interior trade: Kaminsky & Son are selling flour at six dollars per bbl.

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Choice coffee, 135 lbs. to the sack, at Choice coffee, 135 lbs. to the person to repeat for thi in the pursuit of truth I found that the best way was to reject everything I don't had hitherto received, and pinch out forth in the pursuit of truth I found that the best way was to reject everything I don't had hitherto received, and pinch coffee, 135 lbs. to the sack, at the best way was to reject everything I don't had hitherto received, and pinch the

By Telegraph ASSOCIATED PRESS REPORT

TO THE DAILY INTELLIGENCES

CONGRESS.

HOUSE. Washington, April 20. BILLA REPERRED

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Bills were introduced and referred as follows:
By Mr. Vance, of Ohio, to grant to Ohio the unsold and unappropriated public lands in that State.
By Mr. Lawrence, to limit the power of Courts to punish for contempt, also to enlarge the privileges of a writ of habeas corpus. The bill provides that when ever any person shall be detained or imprisoned by order of the Senate or House he shall be entitled to the privilege of a writ of habeas corpus, and the person having custody of the person so detained or imprisoned shall in obedjence to the writ produce to the Court or Justice issuing the writ the person so detained without any order from either the Senate or the House. Any person imprisoned or detained by any Court of the United States, or Justice or Judge thereof, for without any order from either the Senate or the House. Any person imprisoned or detained by any Court of the United States, or Justice or Judge thereof, for contempt, shall be entitled to apply to any Court having appellate jurisdiction for a writ of habeas corpus, and the same shall be issued, served, obeyed, proceeded with, and determined as in other cases. Mr. Singleton from the Committee on Appropriations reported back the Senate amendment to the Consular and Diplomatic appropriation bill, and moved that they be now concurred in. Agreed to.

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Mr. Young offered a resolution reciting the unsettled condition of the Mexican Republic, and the many outrages

borhood of the Rio Grande, and request-ing; the President of the United States to order such military force to rendezvous at some such neutrality laws, to prevent hostilities on the border, and to preserve peaceful re-lations between the two countries, and aland to take such measures as may b

the case of the barque, Mary Merritt, which was seized in Millwaukee, June, 1869, for violation of the custom laws an nire into the circu

urpose. Mr. Hale suggested that the charge should be made more definite and specific. He knew that Mr. Bristow courted the

THE INDIAN BUREAU.

The bill to transfer the Indian bureau to the War Department was taken up.

Mr. Cox made a speech against the bill.

Mr. Copyer opposed the bill in the name of the churches of the country, of all religious denominations, which would look with amazement at this effort to substitute the sword for the Bible.

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Mr. Mill advocated the bill in the interest of the white men of the frontier.

Mr. Holman suggested an amendment authorizing the President to detail army officers to perform the duties of Indian inspectors, commissioners, superintendents, agents and special agents respectively.

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the bill, the House adjourned.

SENATE.

Mr. Morrill, of Vermont, introduced a bill to authorize the Secretary of the Treasury to allow Mrs. Minnie Sherman Fitch to receive free from duties the wedding present from the Khedive of Egypt, and it was passed unanimously.

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THE SILVER BILL.

After the expiration of the morning hour the bill to amend the laws relating to the legal tender of silver coin was taken up, and Mr. Bygy spoke in favor of making silver a legal tender for all amounts and receivable in payment of duties at constant houses.

duties at custom houses.

Mr. Bogy moved to amend so as to make the silver dollar authorized by the make the silver dollar authorized by the bill to be coined a legal tender for any amount and also receivable for customs duties, and providing that the relative value between gold and silver of lawful standard be fixed at 15½.

Mr. Bontwell called up the House bill to authorize the Commissioner of In-ternal Revenue to designate and fix points at which Collectors and Supervisors of Internal Revenue shall hold their offices. He submitted an amendment to strike out Supervisors so that the bill should apply to Collectors of Internal Revenue only. Agreed to.

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He then submitted an additional section abolishing the office of Supervisor of Internal Revenue from and after the first of July next and providing that the powers and duties of Supervisors, except the power to suspend Collectors and other officers, shall be conferred upon the Revenue Agents, but the pay of such agents shall not be increased. The bill was laid over, Mr. Sargent objecting to its present consideration.

CHINESE IMMIGRATION. Mr. Sargent submitted the following:
Resolved, That the Senate recommend to the President that he cause a negotia12:20 P.M.

tion to be entered upon with the Chinese government to effect such a change in the existing treaty between the United States and China as will lawfully permit the application of restrictions on the great influx of Chinese subjects to this

the table.

Mr. Morrill, of Vt., gave notice that on Monday next he would ask the Senate to take up the bill to establish an educational fund and apply—a portion of the proceeds of the public bonds to public education, and to provide for a more complete endowment of colleges for the advancement of scientific and industrial education.

Mr. Maxey submitted an amendmen bill. Ordered printed.

Mr. Booth, from the Committee or Pensions, reported favorably on a bill to amend section 4698 of the revised statutes so as to allow \$37 per month to soldier who have lost both an arm and a leg, it lieu of \$24 per month, now allowed. COURTS IN WEST VIRGINIA.

Senators Edminds, conserved of a confer-on were appointed members of a confer-nce committee on the part of the Senator the times of holding

DISTRICT APPAIRS, The Chair laid before the Senate a message from the President enclosing the final report of the Board of Audit of the District of Columbia. Ordered printed and to lie on the table.

After an executive session the Senate adjourned till Monday.

Crop Prospects.

CINCINNATI; April 20.—Returns fro 7 points in Ohio as to the condition he crops, published in the Commercial his marriage indicate that the peach As to other fruits, 15 points report indi-cations of good crops, 21, fair; 21, badily injured. Wheat, 24 report good crops, 11, fair; 22, badly injured. Reports from 50 points in Indiana indicate that the peaches are badly injured; other fruits, 27, good; 12, fair; 11, badly injured. Wheat, 10 good; 15, fair; 25, badly injured. CHICAGO, April 20.—The Inter-Occun publishes reports from some 200 points in Illinois, Indiana, Michigan, Ohio and Pennaylvania, where the bulk of the win-ter wheat is grown, showing the present condition of the growing crops of winter wheat and fruit. Illinois promises well. In a few counties the wheat threatens in prove a failure, but by far the majority

Referred.

Mr. Cox from the Committee on Rules made a report on the case of Charles H. Smith, Journal Clerk, who issued a circular seeking business in the collection of the additional bounty claims. The report reprehends severely the action of Smith, but as he had resigned no action was recommended.

Mr. Wells reported back the Senate amendments to the defleiency bill, some of which were objected to, and some concurred in without being read to the House.

Mr. Cate offered a resolution reciting the charges made in a newspaper, report affecting the official conduct of B. H. Bristow, Secretary of the Treasury, in regard to the remission of the forfeiture in the case of the barque, Mary Merritt, which was seized in Millwaukee, June.

The Floods.

QUINCY, I.L., April 10.—Reports from the broken levee are more favorable, and it is now believed that a large portion of the bottom will not be reached by the overflow. There are four breaks in the embankments, the worst being three miles above Hannibal. In the county south of Hannibal the greater damage has been done, houses and barns have been washed away and farms swept cloan of everything. The reports of loss of life by the overflow is contradicted. Several families who did not move when the warning was given were caught by the water but were taken out in a skiff.

The water is reported failing there to-day. The river tell 1½ inches here to-day. The bottoms above the city as far as Wards are overflowed and it is believed a large quantity of stock has been drowned.

American Order of United Me

PHILADELPHIA, April 20.—The New Jersey State Convention of the Ameri-can Order of United Mechanics held its semi-annual session at Moorestown, New

Dr. Peter Schuh and his wife, Russian who resided on Bonvier street, both com-mitted suicide yesterday. Mrs. Schuh swallowed prusic acid during her huswallowed prusic acid during her hus-bands absence and on his return home he found her lying dead on the floor. He summoned the neighbors, but before they reached the house he had shot himself through the head and lay dead beside his Mr. Sparks offered an additional sec-tion, providing for the admission to United States citizenship of any Indian society than of late. Their pride was great, and it is supposed that embittered feelings resulting from their fallen for tunes led to the act.

court nearest to the reservation of the tribe or nation that he is sufficiently intelligent and prudent to conduct his own affairs and interests, and that he has adopted the habits of civilization, and has for five years at least been able to support himself and family; but such Indian shall not on that account forfeit his interest in the property of his tribe. Adopted.

On motion of Mr. Cox, the words "critiquous denominations" were substituted for the words "Christian charches."

Without making a final disposition of the bill, the House adjourned.

Mr. Morrill, of Vermont, introduced a bill to authorize the Secretary of the Treasury to allow Mrs. Minne Sherman Interest to the scene of trouble with instructions to disperse the rioters with a state of the scene of trouble with instructions to disperse the rioters. military force to the scene of trouble with instructions to disperse the rioters and protect all who are disposed to labor in the mines or elsewhere.

Murder in the First Degree. Pirrswingur, April 20.—This morning the jury in the case of Frederick Myers, charged with the murder of August Dorn, returned a verdict of guilty of murder in the first degree. The murder was com-mitted in Myers' saloon, on Third avenue, in February last.

Made an Assignment.

mount and also receivable for customs duties, and providing that the relative value between gold and silver of lawful standard be fixed at 16½.

Mr. Bontwell called up the House bill to authorize the Commissioner of In-

Died. INDIANAPOLIS, April 20.—Richard C. Duncan, a well known telegrapher, formerly chief operator of the Indianapolis and New Ocieans office, died at Battle Creek, Mich., this morning.

Dom Pedre.

OMAHA, NEB., April 20.—Dom Pedro, the Emperor of Brazil, arrived from the East at 10 A M., and took a carriage drive through the city. He left in a spec-ial car attached to the Pacific Express, at

Denounced as False Washington, April 20.—S.T. Snit has ublished a card denouncing as utterly the alleged payment to B. H. Bristow, Secretary of the Treasury of \$40,000 as an inducement to aim to resign his posi-tion as U. S. District Attorney for Ken-tucky and to release his (Snit's) distillery.

AMENDMENTS AGREED TO. AMENDMENTS AGREED TO.

The House Committee on Appropriations have agreed to the following amendments to the deficiency bill: Appropriating \$25,000 for the Black Hills Commission and about \$75,000 for the expense of
exhibiting articles belonging to the U.S.
at the Centennial.

Ill-Fated Black Hills' Parties

FORT LABAMIE, April 20.-Mr. Milli-an, of Scranton, Pa., arrived here this evening, and says while coming in on the morning of the 16th, his yarty was attact-ed by Indians in Red Cannon, near Chey-enne River Ranch, about fifty miles from Custer City. A few of the party escaped to the ranche; Mr. and Mrs. Mstz, of Laramis City were killed; a colored women was taken prisoner; a man named Simpson was killed; the bodies were

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Mrs. Metr had been ravished; three men wounded; a man named Grichan from Mo., mortally wounded; Felton from Mo., and C. Bergesser from Virginia City, Newada, seriously. It is feared that their wounds may prove fatal. The wounded men are at the Cheyenne river ranche. The place where the attack was made is about 120 miles from this post. A party from the Black Hills to-day say that about ten days ago three wagons were found at the entrance of Buffalo Gap, on the Yankton route, destroyed and the stock gone, and signs of a fight numerous. The wagon covers had been shot to pieces, and parts of the material which the wagons had been loaded with were lying around, some with marks of balls on them. The Indians had undoubtedly attacked and destroyed the entire outfit.

CONFIRMED BY THE SENATE. The Senate confirmed Michael Schaef-er Chief Justice of the Supreme Court it Utah, and Joseph C. Wilson, Collector f Internal Revenue.

HAIRMAN CAULFIELD TO MR. BRISTOW Representative Caulfield, Chairman of the Committee on Expenditures in the Department of Justice, has addressed the following letter to Secretary Bristow:

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HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,

WASHINGTON, D. C., April 20.}

Dear Sir.—Yours of yeaterday, 19th,
was received at our committer-room
nearly simultrneously with its publication in the evening papers. In reply I
am directed by the Committee to say that
the article you enclose, from the Baltimore Gazette, as well as one of the previous day in a Philadelphia paper, was entirely without the knowledge or authority of the Committee. In reference to
your criticism upon what you are
pleased to term the "method of
your Committee," I would reply that our
Committee claims a right to conduct the
business with which it is entrusted as it
believes best to the interest of public

elieves best to the interest of publiground of censure of them. The testi-meny of Judge Brrtley made no charge against you, but was smple hearway, as to what he claimed had been told by S. T. Suit. It contained nothing upon which a cross-examination by you seemed to be demanded. We felt there was no necess-tive of appressing you of it till we could to use publication of the article you enproceed from the Balliumore Guzzitez, I can
hadly warrant you in saying "I must
promptly meet, the slander as I
find it in the public prints, even at the
risk of appearing to reflect upon the
methods of your committee." As to the
further investigation which you demand,
the committee will willingly accord it to
you if you still desire, but we consider it
unnecessary, as there is no charge made
or proven against you, and you stand before us with the fullest exhoueration of
even a suspicion.

I remain, Very reaply yours,
B. G. CAULFIELD,
Ch'm'n Com. on Expense in Depl of Justice.

Ch'm'n Com. on Expenses in Dep't of Justice To Hon. B. H. Bristow, Secretary of the To Hon. B. H. Bristow, Secretary of the Treasury.

Judge Bartley has written a letter to Mr. Cauffield criticising Secretary Bristow's communication, and stating that the latter denies statements not testified to by Bartley, and concludes by calling upon the Secretary to show that there were no seizures of distilleries pending in court at the time he resigned.

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able that the Cabinet will, to-morrow consider this and kindred subjects.

have made an assignment. Their indebtedness exceeds one million dollars; liabilities probably exceed the assets from \$150 to \$200.

Paying Out Silver.

St. Louis, April 20.—The United States sub-treasury here has been redeeming postal currency the past two days in silver, and nearly every bank and business house in the city are paying small coin over their counters.

Whisky Indictments. Children is Children in the Call of the April 20.—In the U.S. District Court this afternoon, everal gaugers and storekeepers pleaded gailty to whisky indictments against them. The grand kyring title the counters and storekeepers pleaded gailty to whisky Indictments.

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Struck a Pier.

QUINCY, ILL., April 20 .- The steame Clinton struck a pier of the Hannibal bridge this evening, and it was feared that a repetition of the recent sad disaster would occur. Nobody was injured, how-

NASHVILLE, April 20.—A competitive drill for a \$150 silver cup takes place between the Chicasane Guards, of Memphis, and the Porter Rifles, of Nashville, at Ash Barcks, to-morrow afternoon.

FIRE RECORD.

Rock Island, ILLS, April 20.—Timothy Babcock's machine shop, in East Rock Island, burned last night. It is occupied by Fleming Bros. The building was a total loss, and was valued at at \$8,000; value of fixtures and machines \$20,000; insurance, \$8,000.

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Cincinnati, April 20.—The Enquirer's
Lima, O., apecial says that a spark from
a passing engine ignited Theodore Mayer's warehouse, which with its contents
7,000 bushels of grain, was totally destroyed. Loss estimated at \$10,000. Insurance in the Knox Mutual, Lycoming, and
Ashland companies, but the amount is
not known.

KEG FACTORY BURNED

A fire to-night burned the Queen City Keg Factory, 313 East Pearl street, own-d by Mauk & Fesch. The loss on stock and machinery is estimated at \$20,000. Insured in the National and Enterprise, of Cincinnati, \$1,500 each; Globe, Cincinnati, Chizens', New Jersey, \$1,200 each; Union and Aurora, Cincinnati, \$1,000 each; Amazon, \$2,500; total, \$10,000.

COTTON DAMAGEN.

Forty-eight bales of cotton in transit from Louisville to Liverpool was partly damaged by fire on the Little Miami Railroad track to-day. Loss about \$2,000.

Sr. Louis, April 20,—About 7 o'clock to-night a fire was discovered in the extensive brewery of Helms Bros., East St. Lons, which together with a very large refrigerator attached to the building was totally destroyed. Two engines went over from this city, but could render but little service on account of the scarcity of water. Loss \$125,000, including 4,500 barrels of beer, worth \$36,000, and fifteen hundred tons of ice, valued at \$60,000; insurance \$25,000, placed in Mil-

Mexican Affairs.

New Onleans, April 20.—A Galveston special from Brownaville, 20th, to the Galveston News says Diaz is busily organizing his forces in Matamoras. His partisans say it is preparatory to a march on Monterey, but from the fact that he is remaining the forts around Matamoras it is doubtful about his advance. Nothing new therefore at Matamoras. A few boxes of arms crossed the river a few days ago for private parties at Matamoras, but the Collector of this port gave orders that, as a boat to crossed. while the city is in the hands of the res

white the city as in the mass of the reconstruction is without direct authority from the Secretary of War.
Telegrams have been received here ordering General Potter, the present commander on this line, to duty in Kentucky, and it is reported that he will be relieved by General Devin.
General Labarra is still here with his family awaiting the approach of the Mexican Federal forces. He seems confident that Matamoras will soon be in the hands of the Government forces. All the Mexican officers here assert that Matamoras was only lost through the treachery of General Toledo.

The Distillery Story. LOUISNILLE, April 20.—A Courier-Jour Preported visited Col. G. C. Whorton LOUSSILLE, April 20.—A Courier-Journal reported visited Col. G. C. Whorton,
United States District Attorney, and
called his attention to the testimony of
J. W. Bartley, before the Committee on
Expenditures in the Department of Justice, as published in numerous papers.
The statement of Bartley was that S. T.
Suit had paid Mr. Bristow a large sum of
money after the Secretary has resigned
his position as District Attorney of Louisville, to procure the release of certain distilleries belonging to Suit, and seized
while Bristow was District Attorney.
Col. Whorton said that no distilleries
were seized while Bristow was District
Attorney, and he (Whorton) was Assistant Atttrney; that no distilleries' of
Suit had been seized since Bristow resigned; that on careful examination of the

Striking Quarrymen. CHICAGO, April 20.—The workers it estone quarries at Lemont, Ill., whave been working during the winter to

St. Louis, April 20.—The Kansas City Price Current of to-morrow, Friday, will publish further advices regarding the coming seasons, drive of Texas cattle 77,000 head are added to the number pre-viously reported, making a total of 335,-000. Probably one-fourth of these cattle will stop in Northern Texas, some for the department, but the learning the state of the s department, but the larger part goes to stock in the new ranches, and the other three-quarters will go to Wichita, Dodge city, Hays city and Platte river, by the bulk. This vast herd is composed of cows, yearlings, two year old steers and heifers. The larger proportion of them were from three to four years old, and were ex-ecedingly small.

Fraud and Mismangement. tow's communication, and stating that the latter denies statements not testified by Bartley, and concludes by calling upon the Secretary to show that there were no seizures of distilleries pending in court at the time he resigned.

It is known in government circles that when Judge Pierrepont came into office as Attorney General he found that with in two years \$180,000 were paid to Col. Whitely by his predecessors, Mesers, Akterman and Williams. Thirty-five thousand dollars of this amount were, it is additioned to the said paid to Davenport. To-day, search was made for vouchers, but none could be found. This statement creases much comment in official circles, and it is probable that the Cabinot will, to-mourow, consider this and kindred subjects.

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San Fancusco, April 20.—The Câronica and mismanagement on Mare Island. It now alleges that each year's card of fraud and mismanagement on Mare Island. It now alleges that each year's and the number of post of fraud and mismanagement on Mare Island. It now alleges that each year's and the subject to more by the officers of the yard and the grain required for use there is purchased to the market; also that the expensive white and live oak and teak ship timber to rought from the east at a heavy cought from the east and the expensive the ending of the found of the found and mismanagement on Mare Island. It now alleges that eventual and mismanagement on Mare Island. It now alleges that eventual and mismanagement on Mare Island. It now alleges that eventual and mismanagement on Mare Island. It now alleges that a subject to the same and the pr

Louislana Jockey Club Races New Obleans, April 20.—The fourth day of the races was well attended, and weather and track good.

The first race, selling race for \$300, mile and quarter, was won by Kilburn.
Time, 2:134.

Time, 2:134.
Second race, mile and a half, all ages, purse \$350, won easily by Ascension.
Time, 2:424.
Third race—Mile heats, three best in five all ages, purse \$500.

Numbers 1.

five, all ages; purse \$500. Newburn, 1, 1, 1; Enlisted, 2, 2, 2; Past Leonard, 3, 3, 7 Time, 1:47, 1:45, 1:45, 1:45.

After the first heat Newburn, 120; Enlister, 50, Past Leonard, 40, After second heat Newburn, 111; field, 22.

Paying Out Coin.

CHICAGO, April 20.—The United States Sub-Treasury here commenced paying out coin for currency to-day. About \$40,000 had been paid out at 2 o'clock. Authorized to Resume. NEW YORK, April 20,—The Comptrol-ler of Currency has authorized the Bank of the State of New York to resume business. FOREIGN NEWS.

LONDON, April 20.—The handicap race at New Market, to-day, was won by Maitland, Berry Field second, Delay third, and Preakness, the American horse, fourth. Preakness carried 44 more pounds than the winner and 30 more than Berry Field and Delay.

Lord Littleton committed suicide.

The Eastern Question.

BRELIN, April 20.—The maintenance of a complete agreement between the hree northern Powers is affirmed. It has been decided not to take any further teps in the Eastern question without a revious understanding among them-elves and with the other guaranteeing narties.

parties.

The Turkish commander, Manshalar Pacha, is preparing another expedition to revitual Niesie. Montenegro has declared war against Turkey.

SPAIN.

MADRID, April 20.—Minister Salaner ris will lay his budget before the Corres on Saturday. It is stated that the war estimates amount to 570,000,000 reals, of which 48,000,000 are for extraordinary

The Overflow.

QUINCY, ILLS., April 20.-The water is the Say levee bottom reee rapidly yester day, and at noon to-day the water ex ed from the river to the many points between Hannibal and Lou-isians, Mo. At 2 o'ctock the rise at Rockthat stood high and dry this mornt were surrounded in the afternoon and the occupants were taken out i and the occupants were taken out askiffs. The water is reported to be still rising and it is now feared that the entire country, from the river to the litt-nois binds, the distance ranging from the river to the country of the model of the river to the littenois binds, the distance ranging from the river to the littenois binds, the distance ranging from the river to t s from two to ten feet under many acres of wheat are ruined. About one mile of track of the Chicago, Burling ton & Quincy Ratiroad is under water. The river is railing but it is teared it will be come in the country of the country

Hon. Geo. J. Richardson died here to day. The deceased was a prominent member of the bar and was elected to the Legislature in 1870.

DIED.

Weather Report. WAN DEPARTMENT,
OFFICE OF THE CHIEF SIGNAL OFFICER,
WANHINGTON, D.C., April 21—1 a. n.,
PROBABILITIES.

Tennessee and Ohio Valley station-rising barometer, northwest to vest winds, cooler followed by part-idy or clear weather. C W. B. ALLISON,

eter southeast winds, cloudy weather, and possibly fog or lightrain, followed by northwest winds, a rising barometer and colder and clear weather. The lower Ohio and central Mississippi will rise

POLITICAL NOTES.

Unanimously tor Tilden. erday, resolutions in favor of hard mey and reform were adopted with gunanimity. Two-thirds of the Counting for the form the form and the form of Gover Tilden for President, but no formal to the prefers of the prefers of the prefers of the form of t pression was given to this preference. The delegates chosen to the National Convention are known to be for Tilden unas

A Three-story all.

EVANSVILLE, April 20.-A pa med T. Martin, of Madisonville, named T. Martin, of Madisonville, Ky fell off the roof of a three-story building o-day. In fatting he turned a and struck at full length on his back on a stone pavement. No bones were bro-ken, but his brain was injured and there are other internal injuries. Careles in walking too near the edge of the

Marine Intelligence NEW YORK, April 20. - Arrived - Steamer Alsatia from Glasgow. NEWS OF THE DAY.

—The colored people of Richmond, Va., and Manchester, together with a large number from Petersburg, to-day celebrat-ed their emancipation and the adoption of the 14th and 15th amendments, by a parade of military and civic organiza-tions.

whose large corporation mills are at Woodsocket, R. I. has made an assign--Jas. E Toner, member of the Sufolk, Mass. bar was sentenced to the State prison for five years, having been con-victed of black mailing.

PROVIDENCE, April 20.—It is announced that the Balton Manufacturing Co.

-The Leinston, Maine, Savings bank suspended, owing to a protracted run. It expects eventually to pay in full. -Fifteen pilgrims were drowned yes terday while crossing the river Vienna near Parsiac.

-Queen Victoria left Cobourg on Thursday for England. A Big Fature for Wheeling.

om St. Patrick's paper-the Mound

The improvements going on in the var The improvements going on in the various neighborhoods are deserving of note. We have really got all the vim and push of a Western city, and are growing with similar rapidity. Since our residence here, we have seen changes and things transpire that are wonderful to think over. The ups and downs, the rises and falls in the world, the curiosities of crime, the gambler's den and the whoremonger's hovel, the princely living of the flish and the scanty fare of the strapped; in fine, it would take a long space to portray and delineate the manifold sunsides and shadows that our eyes have passed through. Wheeling is now one of the first cities of the country, and we venture through. Wheeling is now one or the first cities of the country, and we venture to say the next ten years will place ber the peer of Chicago in energy and na-itonal reputation.

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